

SENATE BILL 2826

By Ford, O.

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8 and Title 41, relative to a study of certain nonviolent offenders.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. The comptroller of the treasury shall study and audit the department of correction concerning the number of nonviolent offenders incarcerated in correctional institutions of the department of correction who have been incarcerated for offenses for which they have not been convicted. On or before the date of the submission of the next regularly scheduled audit of the department of correction, the comptroller of the treasury shall report to the select oversight committee on corrections concerning the audit and study required by this act.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.